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How to Silence a Fool.—A gallant gentleman once entered a coffee-house in London, and called for tea. His frock attracted the attention of a scented civilian in the opposite box, who, relying upon his superior accent, resolved to have a jest at the expense of the stranger.

The civilian called for tea also.—The Irish gentleman called for mifins, so did the civilian; toast, milk, sugar, &c., were severally called for by the former, and as severally called for by the fool, who enjoyed in his corner the supposed embarrassment to which he was subjecting the gentleman from Galway.

At last, with the greatest composure, and, if possible, with a richer brogue, the Irishman desired the waiter to—“Bring up pistols for two!”

This was stretched in the performance by no means in the fool's programme, and rather beyond what he had bargained for; so, like a well-bred dog, walked down stairs for fear of being kicked!

SELLING LIQUOR TO SLAVES.—No man, whether he be a resident of the city or country, is ignorant of the difficulty attending the conviction of a party who is even habitually engaged in selling liquor to slaves. To elude the penalty of the law, so many subterfuges are employed, concealment of the act is scarcely attempted, that while positive conviction exists of guilt, no legal proof can be furnished that will protect the slave from the danger of temptation and ruin.

Persons having been arraigned in this city for this illegal traffic, and notwithstanding the stringency of the law, have managed to escape with impunity, though slaves have, without doubt, drunk ardent spirits on their premises. The importance of protecting our servants from the demoralizing influence of drunkenness, suggests the propriety of changing our present law in some particulars to meet the exigencies of the case.

It should be made an offence to permit a slave to enter a grog shop without a written permit from his master. No one will deny that in such places our servile population can have no legitimate business. The associations which resort to such places ripen, and the temptation which they present should be carefully avoided; and as the government of this class of our population is in the hands of their masters, the responsibility rests upon them to institute sufficient guards for their protection.

If the Legislature would enact that any slave found without a permit from his master in a grog shop, should be arrested, and that every keeper of a shop in which liquor is sold should be liable to a heavy penalty for permitting a slave to be found without the proper authority in his house, the evil would be arrested.

The peace of society depends, to a considerable extent, upon some change in the State law on this subject. In the country and in the city, slave-holders are constantly complaining of the demoralization of their slaves. In some cases, the evil has become of such magnitude that the remedy has been taken into individual hands. It is therefore a matter that urges itself upon the attention of our Representatives, and we trust they will accommodate the law to the necessities of the case.

We clip the above from the New Orleans Picayune, of the 21st inst., for the purpose of saying that the evil prevails as extensively and as fatally to the interests of the master and the slave, here, in Nashville, as it does in New Orleans; and that it calls for equally effective measures for its suppression, we apprehend no one will be found to deny, who gives fair play to his eyes. The truth is that the practice of selling liquor to slaves is becoming an intolerable evil, and the sooner some effective method of abating it is devised, the better it will be for all concerned.—*Nashville News.*

Yes, and wherever there is a grocery, there can a negro generally buy whisky, provided he has the money. We have the evil in our own town, and all who own slaves will fully appreciate the worth of the above.

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